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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD
FOR CALCULATION
USING MULTI-FIELD
COLUMNS WITH
MODIFIABLE FIELD
ORDER

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
JUNE 14, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of June 14, 2004, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.